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by deleting Section 1 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

Section 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 50-6-113(f), is amended by adding the subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(f)(1) Any person engaged in the construction industry, including principal contractors, intermediate contractors, or subcontractors, shall be required to carry workers' compensation insurance. This requirement shall apply whether or not the person employs fewer than five (5) employees. Sole proprietors and partners shall not be required to carry workers' compensation insurance on themselves. In addition, the provisions of this subsection shall not apply to persons building a dwelling or other structure, or performing maintenance, repairs, or making additions to structures, on their own property for their own use and for which the person receives no compensation.

(2) Nothing within this subsection shall be construed to impact any person whose employment at the time of injury is casual as provided in Section 50-6-106.

(3) For purposes of this subsection, a person engaged in the construction industry means any person or entity who undertakes to, attempts to, or submits a price or bid or offers to construct, supervise, superintend, oversee, schedule, direct, or in any manner assume charge of the construction, alteration, repair, improvement, movement, demolition, putting up, tearing down, or furnishing labor to install material or equipment for any building, highway, road, railroad, sewer,

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grading, excavation, pipeline, public utility structure, project development,

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undertaking.

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